



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Mark A. OLSON, et al.

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AND USING THEREOF

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action mailed 24 September 2003, the response to which was set to expire on 24 December 2003. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee is filed herewith to extend the due date for responding to 24 January 2004. The pending claims, claims 1-10, 14-17 and 24, were rejected and claim 18 was withdrawn from consideration. Reconsideration and entry of the following amendment are respectfully requested.